

**Table 4.08-- CHARACTERISTICS OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT
VICTIMS: 2000 AND 2001**

[Confirmed, unduplicated count of children. A child is only counted once,
regardless of how many times he/she was reported]

Subject	2000	2001
Total	3,286	3,665
Type 1/:		
Physical abuse	477	522
Neglect	493	605
Medical neglect	58	71
Sexual abuse	242	272
Psychological abuse	113	163
Threatened harm	2,778	3,189
County:		
Hawaii	673	690
Honolulu	2,095	2,483
Kauai	159	188
Maui	359	304
Victim characteristics:		
Age (percent)		
Less than one year to 4 years	36.4	39.4
5 to 11 years	39.1	36.6
12 to 17 years	23.7	23.5
Unknown	0.8	0.5
Percent females	51.4	52.0
Race (percent):		
Hawaiian or part Hawaiian	40.7	42.7
Mixed	15.7	17.1
White	10.6	7.8
Other	33.0	32.4

1/ Each type of abuse and neglect is counted only once, regardless of how many times they have been reported. Each child may have one or more type of abuse in the report year, however, so the sum of the types exceeds the total unduplicated count of children whose reports were confirmed.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Human Services, Management Services Office, *A Statistical Report on Child Abuse and Neglect in Hawaii* (annual) <<http://www.state.hi.us/dhs>> accessed December 30, 2002.